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THE TIDES FOR APRIL.

High Water.	A. M.	P. M.	Low Water.	A. M.	P. M.
Date.	h.m.	ft.	Date.	h.m.	ft.
Monday	7:20	7.1	Monday	1:41	3.5
Tuesday	7:50	7.1	Tuesday	2:09	3.1
Wednesday	8:19	7.0	Wednesday	2:36	2.6
Thursday	8:48	6.9	Thursday	3:03	2.1
Friday	9:17	6.8	Friday	3:30	1.6
Saturday	9:46	6.7	Saturday	3:57	1.1
SUNDAY	10:15	6.6	SUNDAY	4:24	0.6
Monday	10:44	6.5	Monday	4:51	0.1
Tuesday	11:13	6.4	Tuesday	5:18	0.4
Wednesday	11:42	6.3	Wednesday	5:45	0.7
Thursday	12:11	6.2	Thursday	6:12	1.0
Friday	12:40	6.1	Friday	6:39	1.3
Saturday	1:09	6.0	Saturday	7:06	1.6
SUNDAY	1:38	5.9	SUNDAY	7:33	1.9
Monday	2:07	5.8	Monday	8:00	2.2
Tuesday	2:36	5.7	Tuesday	8:27	2.5
Wednesday	3:05	5.6	Wednesday	8:54	2.8
Thursday	3:34	5.5	Thursday	9:21	3.1
Friday	4:03	5.4	Friday	9:48	3.4
Saturday	4:32	5.3	Saturday	10:15	3.7
SUNDAY	5:01	5.2	SUNDAY	10:42	4.0
Monday	5:30	5.1	Monday	11:09	4.3
Tuesday	5:59	5.0	Tuesday	11:36	4.6
Wednesday	6:28	4.9	Wednesday	12:03	4.9
Thursday	6:57	4.8	Thursday	12:30	5.2
Friday	7:26	4.7	Friday	12:57	5.5
Saturday	7:55	4.6	Saturday	1:24	5.8
SUNDAY	8:24	4.5	SUNDAY	1:51	6.1
Monday	8:53	4.4	Monday	2:18	6.4
Tuesday	9:22	4.3	Tuesday	2:45	6.7
Wednesday	9:51	4.2	Wednesday	3:12	7.0
Thursday	10:20	4.1	Thursday	3:39	7.3
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Alliance is All Right

A dispatch from San Francisco says that the steamer Albion River lies on the rocks at Bodega Head and her owners have given up all hope of saving her. The steamer Alliance, which was ashore at Point Gorda and was later beached at Caspar, is expected to reach Frisco today under her own steam.

New Cold Storage.

L. Lebeck commenced yesterday driving the piles for the new cold storage plant of the Tallant-Grant Packing company. The wharf will be 60x140 feet in size. It is intended to rush the work and complete the buildings in time for the coming season so far as possible.

Newspaper Man Married

Miss Anna J. Gustafson was yesterday united in marriage to Richard Cloyd Lee, city editor of the Budget. The ceremony took place at 5 o'clock in the afternoon in Grace Episcopal church before a few intimate friends of the couple. Miss Breckenridge was bridesmaid and W. F. Gratke stood up with Mr. Lee. Mr. and Mrs. Lee left on the evening train for a short wedding trip after which they will return and continue to make their home here.

County Commissioners' Court.

The court yesterday ordered a warrant drawn for the payment of the state tax, amounting to nearly \$9000. The appointments of W. J. Blider as first deputy sheriff and Allen Anderson as deputy and jailer were approved. W. C. Hardie was appointed supervisor of road district No. 1, on Clatsop plains. The clerk was instructed to call for bids for furnishing 40 cords of bark slab wood for the courthouse. A road petitioned for on the Little Walluski was ordered opened. Chas. Gilliam, Jacob Butts and H. P. Hobson were appointed viewers and R. C. Astbury surveyor for a new road petitioned for by Gus Gronnell and others in the Elsie district.

Tinplate Delayed.

Very little tinplate has yet arrived for the season's demands of salmon cans, and can making has barely started as yet in the canneries. Many carloads are on the way but are now three weeks behind the time specified for their arrival. The American Can company is out of some sizes and has been forced to cut tin at a waste to keep going. Likewise salmon shipped from Astoria has lately arrived in New York 5 days after shipment. The railroads are either enjoying an immense business or the various strikes are responsible for the holdups, probably the former. Otherwise preparations for the fishing season go on galore. Fishboats, gasoline launches, steamers, schooners and skiffs are being launched ready for business, and all is to be in readiness in six more days for handling the large early run which is expected.

Wanted in Portland.

It has developed that the two men who were detained by Sheriff Linville Tuesday evening on suspicion of having stolen a lot of wire that they had in their possession are wanted in Portland and warrants for their appearance there were issued yesterday. The tell-tale evidence against them is a knife which one of them had in his possession and which was inscribed with "J. N. Collins, Portland, Oregon." A Portlandian was held up not long ago and his knife, bearing that name, was taken from him. Two men answering to the description of the prisoners have been terrorizing Portland for some time and the frequent holdups there are attributed to the scamps now in custody. An officer arrived from Portland last night to assume charge of the men and they will, in all probability, be taken to Portland today.

History of Oregon

One of the most valuable histories of Oregon yet written has recently come off the press and its author is Superintendent H. S. Lyman. The work is published in four volumes and bears the title: "History of Oregon, or the Growth of an American State." It is published by the North Pacific Publishing company. Liberal space is given in last Sunday's Oregonian in a review of Mr. Lyman's work, in which the following strong endorsement appears: "Mr. Lyman has conceived his task in large spirit. His outlook is from the standpoint of universal interest, and while the touch of provincial enthusiasm and even of domestic affection may be traced all through his work, there is no let-down from the manifest purpose to give the record its true historic perspective. It is plainly the aim of the author to make a history of Oregon not merely for Oregonians, but for whoever in the liberal spirit of broad

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From One Who Debated

Astoria, April 8—Editor Morning Astorian: In this morning's issue of The Astorian there appeared an item from J. M. Hughes complaining that the Budget had quoted his name as having taken part in the debate last Monday night at Labor hall, instead of mine. He is perfectly justified in having the error corrected, but he is not justified when he intimates that those who took part in the debate are socialists. Debating societies are schools of education, and it is a well known fact that the members are sometimes called upon by the chairman to take the side they are not in sympathy with—a fact which Mr. Hughes knows well. In the debate referred to the leader on the negative failed to appear, and to make the debate as interesting as possible, under the circumstances, and as no one else seemed willing to take his place, I volunteered, not as a socialist, but as one who was seeking knowledge. Mr. Hughes calls the debate a wrangle, which is an injustice to the society and to the participants. On behalf of the society, I ask you to insert this in your paper.
Chas. Hough.

Appropriation for Hatcheries

The following statement has been submitted by the secretary of state showing funds available for hatchery purposes:

For the purpose of erecting and constructing suitable hatcheries on streams flowing to the Pacific coast south of the Columbia river to be expended under the direction of the board of fish commissioners said hatcheries to be constructed in localities suitable for such propagation (Act of February 27, 1901)..... \$ 5,942.75

For constructing and operating hatcheries on the Columbia river and tributaries (Act of February 17, 1899; Act of February 27, 1901)..... 908.51

For the purpose of establishing, erecting, constructing, building and equipping suitable hatcheries for the propagation of salmon fish on the Columbia river and its tributaries in the state of Oregon (Act of February 21, 1903)..... 15,000.00

For the construction and maintenance of salmon fish hatcheries on the coast streams of the state of Oregon, south of the Columbia river (Act of February 21, 1903)..... 5,000.00

Hatchery Fund, district No. 1, derived from license fees, fines or the proceeds arising from the sale of confiscated fish or fishing appliances, collected in district No. 1, which includes that portion of the Columbia river and its tributaries over which the state of Oregon has jurisdiction (Act of February 24, 1903)..... 7,425.03

Hatchery Fund, district No. 2, derived from license fees, fines or the proceeds arising from the sale of confiscated fish or fishing appliances, collected in district No. 2, which includes all the coast streams and their tributaries in the state of Oregon; south of the Columbia river (Act of February 4, 1903)..... 3,712.53

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For the Union Depot Exhibit

Prominent Portlanders Will Be Here Next Week to Meet Astoria's Citizens.

At the regular meeting of the Astoria Progressive Commercial association held last evening President Harrison Allen announced that a party of Portland gentlemen headed by Col. Frank Drake and Wm. S. Ladd would be in Astoria next Wednesday evening, April 15 for the purpose of meeting the citizens and business men relative to the proposition for a Clatsop county representation in the exhibit now being installed in the union depot in Portland. This exhibit is meant to represent the resources and attractive features of every part of Oregon and will be seen and examined by thousands of home-seekers and tourists. It is desired that the business men generally turn out to hear what the gentlemen have to say.

By unanimous rising vote a resolution was passed instructing the secretary to extend to Richard C. Lee the congratulations and approbation of the club on the occasion of his taking to himself a helpmeet.

The club received a compliment from Colonel Drake on the handsome and effective illustrated booklet sent out not long ago to advertise Clatsop county. The colonel said it was one of the best he had seen and that he had sent copies to other counties as models for them to follow.

A communication was received from F. W. Ferguson, formerly of Astoria and now living in San Diego, stating that he could make good use of Astoria booklets among the tourists there if some were forwarded to him. He said: "It is astonishing how little Astoria is known among the eastern people who visit California. Some of them have

tending the fair and taking in Astoria."

Regatta Committee Organized

The committee named by the Push club to conduct the ninth annual regatta met last evening in the Chamber of Commerce rooms and organized by electing Chas. V. Brown chairman; Oswald West, secretary, and W. E. Schimpff, treasurer. The meeting was quite enthusiastic and indications point to a very successful regatta. The committee as organized consists of C. V. Brown, Oswald West, W. E. Schimpff, Ed Hallock, C. R. Morse, Thos. Linville, P. J. Schistad, R. G. Prael, W. R. Beebe, R. D. Suman, E. S. Edwards and Geo. Fuller, the other three members, J. H. O'Connell, C. W. Carnahan and J. E. Gratke having resigned. The committee will hold another meeting tomorrow evening at 7:30 at the same place to lay plans for the work.

Boat for Sale.

Fishboat and web for sale by Geo. Elio, administrator, No. 417 Bond street.

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Easter Sale

The Methodist ladies will hold an Easter sale next Saturday afternoon in the store next to Griffin's book store on Commercial street. A great assortment of Easter novelties; aprons; home cooking that will tickle epicures, and an abundance of home made candies, for which the ladies have justly established a reputation, will be offered to the public at very reasonable prices. Refreshments will be served.

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Dr. Nellie S. Vernon has recently located permanently in Astoria for the purpose of practicing medicine and has secured offices over Griffin's book store where she can be found from 10 to 12 a. m. and 1:30 to 5 p. m.

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